

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR
THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE
KNOXVILLE DIVISION

| | | |
|---------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| JASON JENNINGS MELTON, |) | |
| |) | |
| Petitioner, |) | |
| |) | |
| v. |) | No. 3:18-CV-347-TWP |
| |) | 3:10-CR-126-TWP-HBG-1 |
| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, |) | |
| |) | |
| Respondent. |) | |

ORDER

In accordance with the accompanying Memorandum Opinion, the government's motion to substitute attorney [doc. 2] and motion for extension of time to file response *nunc pro tunc* [doc. 5] are **GRANTED**. Petitioner's motion for an extension of time [doc. 7] is **GRANTED**. Finally, Petitioner's § 2255 motion [doc. 1] will be **DENIED** and this action **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE**. Moreover, a certificate of appealability **SHALL NOT ISSUE**. The Court **CERTIFIES** that any appeal from this Order would not be taken in good faith, and, should the Petitioner file a notice of appeal, he is **DENIED** leave to proceed in forma pauperis. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3); Fed. R. App. P. 24

The Clerk is **DIRECTED** to close the civil file.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ENTER:

s/ Thomas W. Phillips
SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE